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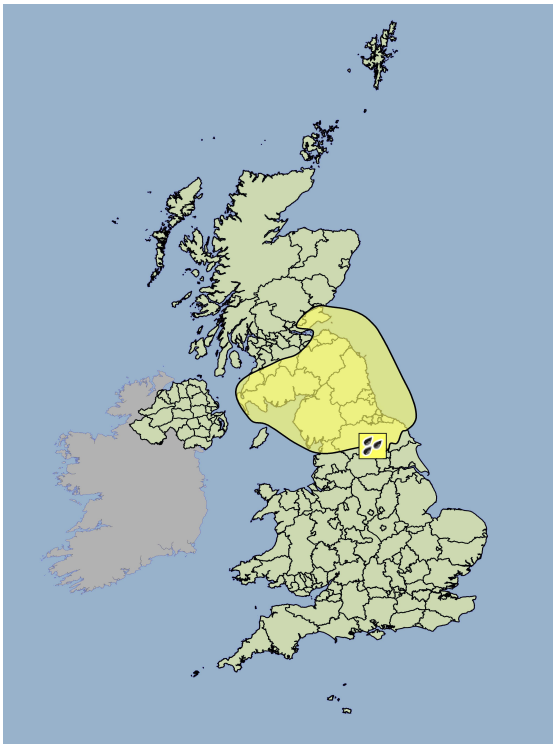

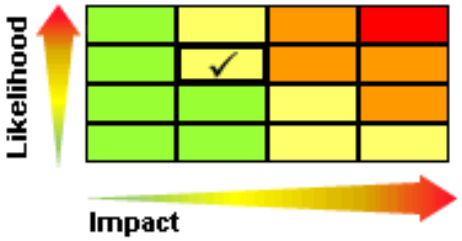

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An active frontal system is expected to move northeastwards on Thursday. Although there remain uncertainties in the precise details and timing of this system, there is concern that areas that have experienced exceptionally wet weather may well see further heavy rain, bringing a renewed flood risk.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **03:00 on Thu, 07th Jan 2016** until **15:00 on Thu, 07th Jan 2016**

A band of heavy rain is expected to move northeast across southern Scotland and northern England during Thursday, clearing from the west by mid afternoon. Rainfall totals of 10-20 mm are likely quite widely, with locally 30 mm on high ground, mostly falling within a 6 hour period.

Given that the ground is already saturated, please be aware of the risk of localised flooding and disruption to transport.

There is also a possibility of gales affecting coastal districts of southwest Scotland and Cumbria for a time early on Thursday morning with a risk of gusts 55-65 mph.

This is an update to the warning to extend it west across southern Scotland, Cumbria and north Lancashire and to cease the warning during the mid afternoon on Thursday.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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